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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

B THE REPRESENTATION (S):

Takeo NISHIJIMA et al.

Serial No. :

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For

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

X No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f), and the amounts shown in parentheses apply.

Claims as Amended

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Independent claims	3	Minus	3 =	0 ×	\$84(42)	= \$0.00
			Total additional fee for this amendment			\$0.00

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

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Dear Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated April 23, 2003, please amend this application as follows: